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MCDONALD CALLS
DEMOCRAT CROWD
PARTY TRAITORS

Plays Young Democrats
for Supporting the
Socialists

IN SPEECH AT HUGO

Holds Primary System Re-
sponsible for Nomination
of Socialist

SEES PAT NAGLE AT HELM

Walton's Refusal to Mention
Woodrow Wilson Dictated
McDonald Declares

By HARVEY E. RHODES
World's Staff Correspondent.

HUGO, Oct. 17.—In a statement that fairly gave off a shower of sparks, Judge A. McDonald tonight charged that the Oklahoma League of Young Democrats has turned traitor to the party of its adoption and is supporting a socialist demagogue for governor.

Immediately after Judge McDonald came out openly against Walton, O. A. Stark, treasurer of the Oklahoma League of Young Democrats, issued a scathing denunciation of Judge McDonald, insisting he had asserted the party which allowed him to sit at its table. Judge McDonald's statement is in answer to Stark.

Judge McDonald concludes with these words: "If Mr. Stark or the Oklahoma League of Young Democrats want to support a socialist that is their privilege. His statement follows in full:

"If the political situation in this state were not in such a pathetic and deplorable condition, the statement made from the Oklahoma League of Young Democrats in answer to my denunciation of J. C. Walton would be ludicrous.

"This reply was my first intimation that the young democrats have turned traitor to their party and have thrown their activities and support to a socialist—a man who is not by any stretch of the imagination considered a loyal democrat.

"Politics Not Secret.

"My politics and my political activities are not a secret. If I have been a customer at the political platform as O. A. Stark, treasurer of the Oklahoma League of Young Democrats, charges, I hope I have merited every favor and have discharged every duty as a man first and as a democrat second. However, my so-called patronage of the platform has extended over a period of four years and no longer.

"As to my participation in a plan to weed out the primary system to which the young democrats seem to object so strenuously, I want to say that if it had been put into effect the democratic party would have a loyal democratic nominee campaign for election and would not be forced to blush with shame at the demagogue who is running on the democratic ticket but on a socialist platform.

Dominated by Reds.

"A friend of mine wrote me yesterday that two socialist democrats pleaded with Walton the other night to mention the name of Woodrow Wilson in one of his speeches. Walton flatly refused. He said he was not going to mention the name of Walton is dominated by Pat Nagle and other socialist leaders and that he has agreed as part of the consideration for the socialist support of this state that he will not mention the name of the only democratic chief executive of this nation in the past quarter of a century.

"If it is a disgrace for me to refuse to support the socialist nominee who is running on the democratic ticket, then I frankly admit that I will forever be a political outcast. I want to state here and now that I will not under any circumstances support him and I will make every honest effort in my power to insure his defeat.

"If Mr. Stark or the Oklahoma League of Young Democrats want to support a socialist that is their privilege."

RUSSELL GIVES UP HALL

Cam Breaks Speaking Date at Muskogee to Senator Harrison.

MUSKOGEE, Oct. 17.—Campbell Russell, chairman of the corporation commission, tonight voluntarily relinquished his claim to convention hall, which he had engaged for Tuesday night, when he heard that the democratic leaders were having trouble in finding a place for Senator Pat Harrison of Mississippi to speak.

Russell had intended to make a speech attacking Jack Walton, the democratic nominee for governor, and Harrison will uphold him. Russell will make his speech later, he said.

Public Indignant
At Brutality of
Walton's Police

Unwarranted Arrest of Two
Prominent Citizens Brings
Sharp Criticism

Special to The World.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Oct. 17.—Public indignation against the police officers who arrested A. J. Vance and threw him into jail Saturday night for asking a question of O. H. Searey, socialist, at a political meeting on the street is increasing with the disclosure of facts surrounding the case. Vance, who is a man of probity and never drinks, was compelled to remain in jail all night, refused the opportunity of calling an attorney or making bond, and finally a charge was made against him of being drunk and disorderly. The friends of Vance in Oklahoma City resent the charge as they do the arrest, and said it was lodged by the police in order to save their faces.

One of the policemen, J. W. Rippey, was today charged by

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BELIEVE WALTON
BOGUS UNION MAN

Brotherhood Probing His
Claim to Membership
as Conductor

DATES BADLY MIXED

Campaign Literature Indicates
He Was Drummer at
Time of Admission

By CLARK C. HUDSON
World's Staff Correspondent.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Oct. 17.—It has been one of those investigations that have been under way for some time by the railway brotherhoods, concerning the membership of Mayor J. C. Walton in the Order of Railway Conductors, and the disclosure reveals that at the time of his admission he was not and had not been for a long time at least, a member of the organization.

Revelation of the fact followed by the opinion, as expressed by the brotherhoods who have been making the investigation, that Walton joined the order for the purpose of using his membership for political purposes, as the date of his membership is said to be February 11, 1917, about the time he entered the primary race here for the office of mayor. The order requires, according to members, that an applicant must be actively engaged in railroad work at the time of his application and for some time prior thereto. A letter written to Earl Will, a member of the order, by Thos. E. Gorman, a union man of this city and former representative, asking for information concerning the matter was made public here today. Will is a close friend of Walton's and is said to have been one of those instrumental in securing the admission of Walton to the order. Gorman's letter follows:

Okla. City, Okla., Oct. 11, 1922

Mr. Earl Will,

2204 West Nineteenth st.,

Okla. City, Okla.

Dear Sir and Brother:

I am writing you as a union man of several years standing. Our different unions have repeatedly contributed for the election of J. C. Walton as governor. He is a former labor construction league as per year letter September 20, which was printed in the Tulsa World. I think I may now have the right to ask you for information, which I am informed you have and can give.

I hold a message from C. E. Whitely, secretary and treasurer of the Oklahoma League of Young Democrats, which I will forward to you. It is a copy of a letter from the Tulsa World, dated September 20, 1922, which was printed in the Tulsa World.

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FIVE CHILDREN KILLED

Twelve Others Injured When School

Truck Is Hit by Train Near

Vicksburg, Miss.

VICKSBURG, Miss., Oct. 17.—Five children, ranging in age from 10 to 14 years, were killed and 12 others injured, two of them seriously, when the school truck in which they were returning home from school was struck by a freight train of the Alabama and Vicksburg railroad.

The dead:

Bertha Potter, 10.

John Oscar Cunningham, 10.

Two unidentified children.

Gladie Gibson, driver of the truck, and one of the school children are believed to be seriously injured.

The accident occurred within 100 yards of the schoolhouse. The truck loaded with 20 children had just left the Vicksburg school, which is 10 miles east of Vicksburg when it was run down at a crossing. Four of the children were killed outright. The Cunningham boy died soon after being brought to a hospital.

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S.W.B.C. OPENS
2-DAY MEETING
AT 9:30 TODAY

Delegates Begin Arriving
in City for Important
Business Session

SENATOR OWEN HERE

Among First of Prominent

Visitors to Register; Gov-

ernor Not Coming

MEET AT CONVENTION HALL

All Business Transacted at

Big Auditorium; Group

Meetings Elsewhere

Proclamation.

Whereas, the City of Tulsa will

entertain a large number of delegates

and visitors to the annual convention

of the Southwestern Business Congress

and the Oklahoma Chamber of Commerce

and the Oklahoma League of Young Democrats

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Official S.W.B.C. Program

Wednesday, October 18.

8:30 a. m., registration at Hotel Tulsa.

9:30 a. m.—Formal opening of convention hall, Charles B. Peters, president of the Tulsa Chamber of Commerce presiding. Invocation by Dr. J. M. Gordon, president of Tulsa university.

9:45—Address of welcome, A. N. Leetcraft, state treasurer.

10:10—"The Government's Part in Business," Senator Robert L. Owen.

11—"Community Development," Carl J. Baer, manager production department, St. Louis chamber of commerce.

12—"Group meeting luncheon," J. M. Kurn, president of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad.

2:30—"Legislation for Agriculture," Col. Clarence Osley, Fort Worth, former assistant secretary of agriculture.

3—"What Business Can Do for Agriculture," Bradford Knapp, dean of University of Arkansas college of agriculture.

3:30—"Finding a New Normalcy," Dr. H. J. Waters, managing editor of the Kansas City Star.

4—"Familiar given by the Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Assn., Hotel Tulsa, visiting oil men invited to attend.

6—"Dinner for automobile dealers at Ed Woods cafe, P. W. A. Vesper, president of St. Louis chamber of commerce the principal speaker.

7:10—"The Government's Part in Business," Senator Robert L. Owen.

7:45—"Get-together meeting, convention hall, Harry H. Rogers of San Antonio to speak on "Development Problems of the Southwest." Entertainment and smoker in charge of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Thursday, October 19.

8:15 a. m.—General session opened by invocation by Rev. John Abernathy, president of Oklahoma Central Methodist college.

9:30 a. m.—"The Farmer in Business," Carl Williams, editor of the Oklahoma Farmer-Stockman.

10:15 a. m.—"Labor's Part in the Industrial Development," John Frey, editor International Molders' Journal.

10:40—"The Banker's Part in the Development of Business," John G. Lonsdale, president of the St. Louis National Bank of Commerce.

11:45—"Unstable Money and Prosperity," Irving Fisher, professor of economics at Yale university.

12—"Group meeting luncheon."

2 p. m.—"Distribution Problems of the Southwest," H. A. Black of Galveston, Texas, vice president of the United States chamber of commerce.

2:30—"The Outlook for Retail Business," M. L. Wilkinson, president of Scruggs, Vandervoort & Harney Dry Goods company of St. Louis, Mo.

3—"What's the Matter With Business?" John G. Jones, vice president of the Alexander Hamilton institute, New York.

4—"Adjustment of business congress," delegates will attend the ground-breaking ceremony for the \$5,000,000 Spavinaw water project.

Group Meeting Luncheons.

NOON WEDNESDAY.

Bankers at the Country club, Irving Fisher and John G. Lonsdale, speakers. N. T. Gilbert presiding.

Agriculturists at Ed Woods cafe, Othello Henderson, Mrs. Mary Salisbury and Dr. Bradford Knapp speakers.

Retailers at Hotel Tulsa clubroom, M. L. Wilkinson speaker. Othello Henderson presiding.

Publishers at Y. W. C. A. Dr. H. J. Waters speaker. Frank H. Greer presiding.

Wholesalers and manufacturers in Hotel Tulsa, tea room. O. D. Halsey and J. T. Griffin of McAlester speakers, Joe Mitchell presiding.

NOON THURSDAY.

Agriculturists at Ed Woods cafe, W. P. Fraker, Dr. H. J. Waters, D. R. L. C. Williams and John T. Kramer speakers.

Retailers at Hotel Tulsa clubroom, H. A. Black, D. J. Woodcock, secretary Retail Credit Men's National association, speakers, Othello Henderson presiding.

Wholesalers and manufacturers, Hotel Tulsa tea room. John W. Shartell, vice president of Oklahoma City Street Railway company, Alf G. Heggen speakers, D. W. Moffitt presiding.

Fields Presents Registrar Moore

Proof on Walton Blocks Electors

Shows Indisputably That Books Scheduled to Open

Part of Shawnee Policy Today, but Registrars

Is Socialistic Not All Named

COMPARES PLATFORMS WITHHOLD PARTIAL LIST

1916 Concoction Literally Is Voters "Cool Heels While

Held Up by That of 1920, Election Official Is Nam-

Showing a Likeness ing His Helpers

By HARVEY E. RHODES.

World's Staff Correspondent.

HUGO, Oct. 17.—Irrefutable proof that at least a part of the Shawnee platform is simply pure socialism was submitted to the voters today by John Fields, republican nominee.

The evidence consisted of a comparison between the socialist platform of 1916 and the absolute truth of 1922 as well as the "soda-water" platform, is making a jazz campaign on the democratic ticket.

Crowds Good Despite Rain.

Fields and his party composed of the gubernatorial runner Irving

Page, nominee for state treasurer, Y. L. McWilliams, nominee for corporation commissioner, and new-

York men, entered Choctaw county this morning. Fields spoke during the afternoon at Russell, Soper and Fort Towson in the afternoon and at Hugo tonight.

Despite a drizzling rain the speaker was at every stop given hearty

receptions which varied in size with the population of the town in which he spoke. Hugo, ordinarily a democ-

cratic stronghold, gave him a rousing greeting and a well-attended

meeting. It is much easier in Hugo to find democrats who are supporting Fields than those who are not.

Among the leading constitutional

democrats here is Judge A. A. McDonald, who recently gave an en-

thusiastic endorsement to the

platform of the democratic ticket.

Like Mixing Oil and Water.

To convince his hearers of Wal-

ton's perfidious character in which he

had been so successful in a political

platform, Fields read the socialist

platform and then the Shawnee

platform, revealing a startling sim-

ilarity in substance as well as the

perilous situation in which Oklahoma

would be placed if Walton were

elected.

Article 3 of the 1916 socialist plat-

form reads as follows:

"The socialist party of Oklahoma

demands the state ownership and

control of such industries and means

of transportation as are collectively

owned by the people of Oklahoma,

such as the coal and mining indus-

FIGHT IS BEGUN
TO PUT STOP TO
ALL TAX DODGING

Fear Asks Mellon Why
Laws Are Not Enforced
Against Trusts

DIVIDENDS THE CAUSE

Declaration of Monster Pay-

ments to Stockholders

Brings Criticism

WANTS NO MORE SECRECY

All Income Taxes Should Be

Made Public; Takes Fight

to Congress

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—Citing

reports that the Standard Oil com-

pany of New Jersey had declared

a 400 per cent stock dividend, Rep-

resentative Fear, Wisconsin, re-

publican member of the house ways

and means committee, asked Secre-

tary Mellon in a letter today if the

treasury had invoked section 220

of the 1921 revenue act "which pro-

vides methods for reaching holders

of surplus when held for the pur-

pose of escaping taxation."

Fear also wrote the secretary

that according to newspaper dis-

patches subsidiary members of the

Standard Oil company were de-